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FOLLOWING TEL CALCUTTA 0577 DTD 05 MAR 76 RECEIVED NEW DELHI BEING REPEATED TO YOU. QUOTE

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SUBJ: PRESS COVERAGE OF PM'S DURGAPU

ZSPEECH

REF: NEW DELHI 3307

1. AFTER SEEING THE MARCH 4 TIMES OF INDIA HEADLINE "ATMOSPHERE OF DANGER AROUND INDIA, PM WARNS PEOPLE, "I ASKED OUR TRANSLATORS TO GO OVER THE TAPE OF THE PM'S DURGAPUR SPEECH AGAIN. SINCE THAT PHRASE WAS NOT IN THE TRANSLATION WHICH THEY GAVE US AND WHICH WAS BASIS FOR CALCUTTA 551 (NEW DELHI 3303). THEY FOUND FOLLOWING WHICH WAS NOT IN THEIR ORIGINAL TRANSLATION: BEGIN QUOTE: IF WE DO NOT GAIN STRENGTH, THE BIT POWERS OF THE WORLD WILL MAKE EFFORTS TO DOMINATE US. EVEN TODAY THE ATMOSPHERE AROUND US IS NOT FREE FROM DANGER. WE NEED NOT BE AFRAID OF THAT BUT WE HAVE TO MAKE OURSELVES STRONG TO FACE IT. I KNOW THAT THE PEOPLE OF INDIA HAVE THAT STRENGTH AND COURAGE. AND FOR THIS WE HAVE TO BE UNITED, IMPLEMENT PROJECTS AND PRODUCE ALL NECESSARY ITEMS TO MAKE THE NATION STRONG. END QUOTE. LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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2. ASSUMING TRANSLATORS HAVE GIVEN US A FAITHFUL
RENDITION OF THIS PASSAGE, IT IS WORTH NOTING THAT
TIMES HAS TAKEN PM'S REMARK THAT "EVEN TODAY THE ATMOSPHERE
AROUND US IS NOT FREE FROM DANGER" AND GIVEN IT A MORE
SINISTER TWIST IN THE HEADLINE "ATMOSPHERE OF DANGER
AROUND INDIA"
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